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Re: U.S. Patent Application of COLLIE, Anthony D. for his "TORNADO AND HURRICANE ROOF TIE"; Filed: July 22, 2003; Serial No.: 10/604,443

U.S. Patent Application of COLLIE, Anthony D. for his "TORNADO AND HURRICANE ROOF TIE"; Filed: February 26, 2004; Serial No.: 10/787,524

Honorable Commissioner:

are:

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-referenced utility patent applications

- 1. Two (2) PTO forms PTO/SB/83 Request for Withdrawal as Attorney or Agent and Change of Correspondence Address (2 pp. total).
- 2. Our post card. Please date-stamp and return.

Please direct all future correspondence to the address indicated on the attached Change of Correspondence Address.

Sincerely,

Jeffrey C. Maynard Attorney for Applicant

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I have invented and design two new verson on how to open up a round circular window with the first verson being able to rotate in a circular fastion on an axle. A person would buy this round circular window in a life hand verson or a right hand verson according to whether they are life hand or right hand.

The top half of to first versor of the round circular window will be closed stationary and in the center half of the round circular window there will be an axle place in the middle of the window. The bottom balf of the round circular window will have a hole drill through the center of the window with a plantic sleve line there will be a ball bearing case in place in the middle and on each end of the plantic sleve there will be a ball bearing case in place. The axle which in place in the middle of the top closed stationary round circular window when the bottom half of round written window plantic sleve in push on te the axle the window will rotate in a circular

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And now if there is any latt And after 9 told MR. maynard what changer I wanted him to do he raid he will make the changer for me, so I felt invored and 9 Anthony Douglar collie fax them my new invention, which is a new way to open up a vound circulor window which will be able to rotate in a urcular fastion on an axle And now if there is any law in the (USPTO) that will make their law their law firm white ford taylor and preston L'L'I'. resubstite my invention so that it would be bulley completed, just like the orther inventors used patent Because I have already paid this law form to do my patent work, and they did not complete my potent work and now I Anthony Douglas collie do not have the money nexter the time to do it all over again. Very truly your

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Our Docket No. 010790/2

## Dear Anthony:

In as much as you have refused to honor your commitments to pay for our services according to our Engagement Agreement that you signed on June 3, 2002 (copy enclosed), we are compelled to cease representation of you for your inventions and any other matter. Accompanying for your records is a copy of our Request for Withdrawal as Attorney of Record for each of your applications and Change of Correspondence Address for your patent, which we have filed with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (PTO) today. We will not take any further action to represent you to the PTO.

I have previously sent you the Notice of Allowance for your two pending patent applications. The Issue Fee for each must be paid not later than June 30, 2005 for Application Serial No. 10/787,524 and July 5, 2005 for Application Serial No. 10/604,443. In order to preserve your rights, you must fill out the Issue Fee transmittal form and send that, along with the Issue Fee payment, to the patent office for each of your applications; otherwise, your applications will become abandoned. The deadline for paying the fee cannot be extended.

You have recently communicated to us that you would like one or more drawings added to either or both of your pending applications and that you would like a specific drawing used on the first page of any issued patent. As I previously informed you, the Examiner selects the one drawing that is most representative of the invention for the cover page, if you want something different, you should let your preference be

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known to the Examiner for the specific application. He will likely require that you reopen examination to add drawings.

For your issued patent, it will stay in force until October 22, 2022 provided maintenance fees are paid at 3½, 7½, and 11½ years after issuance of the patent. That is, maintenance fees will be due on July 4, 2008; July 4, 2012; and July 4, 2016. You should keep track of these dates, as the PTO will <u>not</u> send out a reminder. If the maintenance fee is not paid, the patent will expire prematurely.

I have already provided you with a copy of every document that was filed in your cases. Accordingly, we will close our files. Accompanying is our copy of the drawings for your hinged circular window. If you desire patent protection for this concept, you should have an application filed as soon as possible and certainly before any public disclosure.

Should you have any question or comment, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,

Jeffrey C. Maynard

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